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Applicants: Wollenberg et al.

Examiner: M. Wallenhorst

Serial No.: 10/699,508

Group: Art Unit 1743

Filing Date: October 31, 2003

Docket: T-6298C (538-62)

For: HIGH THROUGHPUT SCREENING  
METHODS FOR LUBRICATING  
OIL COMPOSITIONS

Dated: July 28, 2006

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450ATTENTION: REFUND SECTION,  
ACCOUNTING DIVISION,  
OFFICE OF FINANCE**REQUEST FOR REFUND**  
**(Improper Charge of Deposit Account)****I. REFUND REQUEST**

This is a request for a refund of \$120.00 with respect to the charge to Deposit Account No. 50-3591 shown on the statement dated May 31, 2006 for the above-identified application.

A copy of the monthly statement in which the error referred to occurs accompanies this request.

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TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED

\$120.00

## III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

A Notice of Appeal was filed on March 6, 2006 together with a Petition for Extension of Time for one month. Checks in the amount of \$500.00 (fee for Notice of Appeal) and \$120.00 (fee for one month EOT) were enclosed with the Notice of Appeal and Petition (see copy of checks enclosed herein). The checks were received by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office as evidenced by a copy of the postcard stamped as showing receipt of the check for \$120.00.

Thus, a refund of in the amount of \$120.00 charged to Deposit Account No. 50-3591 is believed to be warranted and such is respectfully requested.

## IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make the refund by crediting Deposit Account No. 50-3591.

Respectfully requested,

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Applicant: Waltenberg et al.  
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**RE: REQUEST FOR REFUND  
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